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**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.59 TO CORRECT APPLICATION FILE AND
EXPUNGE IMPROPERLY FILED MATERIAL**

Upon reviewing the Imaged File Wrapper for application serial no. 09/575,562 (U.S. Patent No. 6,917,321), Patentee has discovered that the Office misfiled in this file an amendment for another, companion application. Specifically, reference is made to the amendment mailed November 30, 2001 and shown in the IFW with a date of 12/31/2001. It will be seen in that amendment, in the caption on the first page, there is identification of serial number 09/575,561, and an attorney's docket number A0312/7408/SJH/MXS. However, the serial number for the application that became patent 6,917,321 was 09/575,562 (one number off) and the attorney's docket number was A0312/7400 (now A0312.70400US00). Thus, the Office has included in the prosecution history of the instant patent a document that does not belong there. It is believed that such document already has created confusion for the Publication Branch and has resulted in gross error in the claims of the printed patent.


Accordingly, Patentee requests removal of this paper from the file of the patent, expungement from the IFW, and correction of the document index in the file.

While this petition refers to 37 CFR §1.59 for authority, it is requested that the fee for such petition be waived in light of an Office error being the basis for the petition. In lieu of such action, the transmittal papers authorize a charge to deposit account No. 23/2825.

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